

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

1. (Currently amended) An information processing apparatus, comprising:

a ~~storing means~~storage programmed logic circuitry for storing data to display a plurality of windows and data to display a plurality of selection areas which ~~are respectively corresponded~~correspond to said plurality of windows,

a display ~~means~~for including a first display area on which only a predetermined window out of the plurality of windows is displayed or the plurality of windows are displayed in an overlapping manner and a second display area on which said plurality of selection areas are displayed,

a ~~detecting means~~detector for detecting an input to display positions of said plurality of selection areas, and

a first display ~~controlling means~~controller for displaying, when it is determined that a first predetermined input is performed within a selection area corresponding to a window displayed on said first display area or a window displayed on a forefront by said

detector~~detecting means~~, the window corresponding to the selection area on said second display area.

2. (Currently amended) An information processing apparatus according to claim 1, further comprising a second display ~~controllerecontrolling means~~ for displaying, when it is determined that a first predetermined input is performed within a selection area[.] corresponding to a window which is not displayed on said first display area and said second

display area or a window a part of which is hidden under the window displayed on the forefront
on said first display area by said ~~detecting means~~detector, the window corresponding to the
selection area on said first display area or on the forefront on said first display area.

3. (Currently amended) An information processing apparatus according to claim 1,
further comprising a third display ~~controlling means~~controller for displaying, when it is
determined that a second predetermined input is performed within a selection area corresponding
to a window which is not displayed on said first display area and said second display area or a
window a part of which is hidden under the window displayed on the forefront on said first
display area by said ~~detecting means~~detector, the window corresponding to the selection area on
said second display area.

4. (Currently amended) An information processing apparatus, comprising:
~~a storing means~~storage programmed logic circuitry for storing data to display a plurality
of windows and data to display a plurality of selection areas which ~~are respectively corresponded~~
correspond to said plurality of windows,

a display ~~means~~ for including a first display area on which only a predetermined window
out of the plurality of windows is displayed or said plurality of windows are displayed in an
overlapping manner and a second display area on which said plurality of selection areas are
displayed,

a ~~detecting means~~detector for detecting an input to display positions of said plurality of
selection areas, and

a third display ~~controlling means~~controller for displaying, when it is determined that a

second predetermined input is performed at a display position of a selection area corresponding to a window which is not displayed on said first display area and said second display area or a window a part of which is hidden under the window displayed on a forefront on said first display area by said ~~detecting means~~detector, the window corresponding to the selection area on said second display area.

5. (Currently amended) An information processing apparatus according to claim 4, further comprising a first display ~~controlling means~~controller for displaying, when it is determined that a first predetermined input is performed within a selection area corresponding to a window displayed on said first display area or the window displayed on the forefront by said ~~detecting means~~detector, the window corresponding to the selection area on said second display area.

6. (Currently amended) An information processing apparatus according to claim [[1]]3, wherein said ~~detecting means~~detector detects an input to an arbitrary position of said second display area, and

further comprising a ~~setting means~~setter for setting, when a window is displayed on said second display area by said first display ~~controlling means~~controller or said third display ~~controlling means~~controller, the window to an inputable state from said ~~detecting means~~detector.

7. (Currently amended) An information processing apparatus according to claim 1, further comprising a fourth display ~~controlling means~~controller for displaying, when it is determined that a predetermined input is performed within a selection area corresponding to the

window displayed on said second display area, the window corresponding to the selection area of the forefront on said first display area.

8. (Currently amended) An information processing apparatus according to claim 1, further comprising a fifth display ~~controlling means~~ controller for displaying, in a case that said window is displayed on said second display area and when it is determined that other window is being displayed on said second display area, the other window on the forefront on said first display area.

9. (Currently amended) An information processing apparatus according to claim 1, wherein said ~~detecting means~~ detector detects said first predetermined input on the basis of the input ~~data~~ from a touch panel which is not set on said first display area but set on said second display area.

10. (Currently amended) An information processing apparatus according to claim 1, wherein said ~~storing means~~ storage programmed logic circuitry stores data to display a basic input window to be displayed on said second display area, and further comprising a basic display ~~controlling means~~ controller for displaying said basic input window on said second display area when no window to be displayed on said second display area is present.

11. (Currently amended) An information processing apparatus according to claim 1, further comprising a ~~generating means~~ programmed logic circuitry for, when a predetermined

coordinates input is performed to said window displayed on said second display area, generating data to display a new window and data to display a new selection area, and storing the generated data in said ~~storing means~~ storage programmed logic circuitry by bringing ~~them~~ the data to display a new window and the data to display a new selection area into correspondence with each other, and

a selection area display ~~controlling means~~ controller for displaying said selection area generated by said generating ~~programmed logic circuitry means~~ on said second display area.

12. (Currently amended) An information processing program of an information processing apparatus comprising a ~~storing means~~ storage programmed logic circuitry for storing data to display a plurality of windows and data to display a plurality of selection areas which ~~are~~ respectively ~~corresponded~~ correspond to said plurality of windows, and a display ~~means~~ for including a first display area on which only a predetermined window out of the plurality of windows is displayed or said plurality of windows are displayed in an overlapping manner, and a second display area on which said plurality of selection areas are displayed, causing a processor of said information processing apparatus to execute

~~a detecting step for detecting an input to display positions of said plurality of selection areas, and~~

~~a first display controlling step for displaying, when it is determined that a first predetermined input is performed within a selection area corresponding to a window displayed on said first display area or a window displayed on a forefront by said detecting step, the window corresponding to the selection area on said second display area.~~

13. (Currently amended) A storage medium storing an information processing program of an information processing apparatus comprising ~~a storing means~~storage programmed logic circuitry for storing data to display a plurality of windows and data to display a plurality of selection areas which ~~are respectively corresponded~~correspond to said plurality of windows, and a display ~~means~~ for including a first display area on which only a predetermined window out of the plurality of windows is displayed or the plurality of windows are displayed in an overlapping manner, and a second display area on which said plurality of selection areas are displayed, wherein

said information processing program causes a processor of said information processing apparatus to execute

~~a detecting step for~~ detecting an input to display positions of said plurality of selection areas, and

~~a first display controlling step for~~ displaying, when it is determined that a first predetermined input is performed within a selection area corresponding to a window displayed on said first display area or a window displayed on a forefront ~~by said detecting step~~, the window corresponding to the selection area on said second display area.

14. (Currently amended) A window controlling method of an information processing apparatus comprising ~~a storing means~~storage programmed logic circuitry for storing data to display a plurality of windows and data to display a plurality of selection areas which ~~are~~ respectively ~~corresponded~~correspond to said plurality of windows, and a display ~~means~~display for including a first display area on which only a predetermined window out of the plurality of windows is displayed or the plurality of windows are displayed in an overlapping manner, and a

second display area on which said plurality of selection areas are displayed, further including:

~~a detecting step for detecting an input to display positions of said plurality of selection areas, and~~

~~a first display controlling step for displaying, when it is determined that a first predetermined input is performed within a selection area corresponding to a window displayed on said first display area or a window displayed on a forefront by said detecting step, the window corresponding to the selection area on said second display area.~~

15. (Currently amended) An information processing program of an information processing apparatus comprising ~~a storing means~~ storage programmed logic circuitry for storing data to display a plurality of windows and data to display a plurality of selection areas which ~~are~~ respectively ~~corresponded~~ correspond to said plurality of windows, and a ~~display means~~ display for including a first display area on which only a predetermined window out of the plurality of windows is displayed or the plurality of windows are displayed in an overlapping manner, and a second display area on which said plurality of selection areas are displayed, causing a processor of said information processing apparatus to execute

~~a detecting step for detecting an input to display positions of said plurality of selection areas, and~~

~~a third display controlling step for displaying, when it is determined that a second predetermined input is performed at a display position of a selection area corresponding to a window which is not displayed on said first display area and said second display area or a window a part of which is hidden under the window displayed on a forefront on said first display area by said detecting step, the window corresponding to the selection area on said second~~

display area.

16. (Currently amended) A storage medium storing an information processing program of an information processing apparatus comprising ~~a storing means~~ storage programmed logic circuitry for storing data to display a plurality of windows and data to display a plurality of selection areas which ~~are~~ respectively ~~corresponded~~ correspond to said plurality of windows, and a ~~display means~~ display for including a first display area on which only a predetermined window out of the plurality of windows is displayed or the plurality of windows are displayed in an overlapping manner, and a second display area on which said plurality of selection areas are displayed, wherein

said information processing program causes a processor of said information processing apparatus to execute

~~a detecting step for~~ detecting an input to display positions on said plurality of selection areas, and

~~a third display controlling step for~~ displaying, when it is determined that a second predetermined input is performed at a display position of a selection area corresponding to a window which is not displayed on said first display area and said second display area or a window a part of which is hidden under the window displayed on a forefront on said first display area ~~by said detecting step~~, the window corresponding to the selection area on said second display area.

17. (Currently amended) A window controlling method of an information processing apparatus comprising ~~a storing means~~ storage programmed logic circuitry for storing data to

display a plurality of windows and data to display a plurality of selection areas which ~~are~~ respectively ~~corresponded~~ correspond to said plurality of windows, and a display ~~means~~ for including a first display area on which only a predetermined window out of the plurality of windows is displayed or the plurality of windows are displayed in an overlapping manner, and a second display area on which said plurality of selection areas are displayed, including:

~~a detecting step for~~ detecting an input to a display position of said plurality of selection areas, and

~~a third display controlling step for~~ displaying, when it is determined that a second predetermined input is performed at a display position of a selection area corresponding to a window which is not displayed on said first display area and said second display area or a window a part of which is hidden under the window displayed on a forefront on said first display area ~~by said detecting step~~, the window corresponding to the selection area on said second display area.

18. (Currently amended) An information processing apparatus, comprising:

~~a storing means~~ storage programmed logic circuitry for storing data to display a plurality of windows and data to display a plurality of selection areas which ~~are~~ respectively ~~corresponded~~ correspond to said plurality of windows,

~~a display means~~ display for including a first display area on which only a predetermined window out of the plurality of windows is displayed or the plurality of windows are displayed in an overlapping manner, and a second display area on which said plurality of selection areas are displayed,

~~a detecting means~~ detector for detecting an input to display positions of said plurality of

selection areas, and

a first display ~~controlling means~~controller for displaying, when a predetermined input is performed within said selection area by said ~~detecting means~~detector, the window corresponding to the selection area on said second display area.